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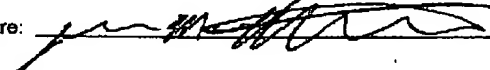
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Amendment and Response accompanies a Request For Continued Examination being filed as a result of a recent interview with the Examiner. A notice of appeal was previously filed. The submission of this amendment and RCE is believed to obviate the need for an appeal brief at this time.

Extension of Time: A request for a one (1) month extension of time is enclosed herewith to increase the period in which the appeal brief would normally be due. In the event that additional time is required to have the papers submitted herewith be considered timely, Applicant hereby petitions for any additional time required to make these papers timely.

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